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Applicant(s) : Takumi OKAUE et al.

Serial No. : 09/467,221

For : EXTERNAL STORAGE APPARATUS AND  
CONTROL APPARATUS THEREOF, AND DATA  
TRANSMISSION RECEPTION APPARATUS

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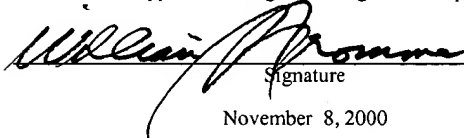
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2000, the time for responding thereto  
having been requested to be extended by one month, please amend the above-identified  
application as follows:

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